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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Unger et al. Art Unit: 1617  
Application No.: 09/218,660 Examiner: S.J. Sharareh  
Filed: December 22, 1998  
Title: NOVEL TARGETED COMPOSITIONS FOR DIAGNOSTIC AND  
THERAPEUTIC USE

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing an  
Response to Office Action or other responsive paper due April 14, 2004.

The requested extension is for One (1) Month, extending the period for response from April  
14, 2004 to May 14, 2004.

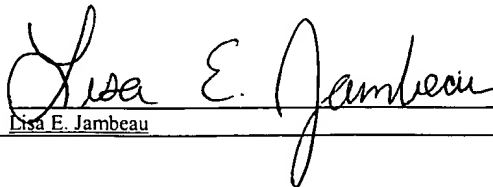
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**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8**

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being  
deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this  
date, May 14, 2004, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for  
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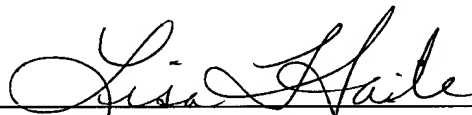
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Enclosed is Check No. 559202 in the amount of \$55.00, to cover the One (1) Month Extension of Time fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A copy of this Petition Sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 14, 2004



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